



PATHWAYS TO BECOMING AN ADDICTION AND RECOVERY TREATMENT SERVICES (ARTS) MEDICAID PROVIDER



Pathways for Providers

Importance for Preliminary Work

- Executive and Legislative branches fully support the Medicaid substance use disorder system transformation to address the opioid crisis
- DMAS is moving services to evidence based practices models
- American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) is nationally recognized evidenced based practice

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Preliminary work:

1. Review the ARTS webpage for information on the substance use disorder services transformation:
http://www.dmas.virginia.gov/Content_pgs/bh-sud.aspx
2. Make sure you have or pursue the correct state license, whether through Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) and the Department of Health Professions (DHP)
 - The correct licenses are required as part of the credentialing and contracting process with the Medicaid health plans and Magellan
3. Credentialing and contracting requirements are also based on the type of service (ASAM Level of Care) you intend to provide in the new ARTS system

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Preliminary work:

4. Buy/Acquire and review the ASAM Criteria:
<http://www.asam.org/quality-practice/guidelines-and-consensus-documents/the-asam-criteria/text>
5. Attend the DBHDS ASAM Trainings and VDH Addiction Disease Management Trainings
http://www.dmas.virginia.gov/Content_pgs/bh-sud.aspx
4. Based on the ASAM Criteria evidence based quality standards, determine what substance use disorder related service (or ASAM Level of Care) you provide or want to provide for Medicaid reimbursement

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Preliminary work:

7. Determine whether you are already credentialed and contracted with the Medicaid health plans and Magellan
8. Determine which Medicaid health plans you need to be credentialed and contract with:
<http://www.virginiamanagedcare.com/choose/compare-plans>
9. All providers should be credentialed and contract with Magellan for ARTS coverage for fee-for-service members

ASAM Level 4

Medically Managed Intensive Inpatient

- Complete ARTS Attestation Form for ASAM Level 2.1 to 4.0 and ARTS Organizational Staff Roster.
- Submit documentation to Magellan and each of the Medicaid health plans to start the credentialing and contracting process if not already in-network.
- Magellan and the Medicaid health plans will request any additional documents required for credentialing and contracting.

ASAM Levels 3.7, 3.5, 3.3, 3.1

Residential Treatment Services (RTS)

- Obtain or amend DBHDS license if needed.
- Add DBHDS Medical Detox license for all ASAM Level 3.7.
- Add DBHDS Medical Detox license for ASAM Levels 3.5 and 3.3 only if providing withdrawal management.
- Submit DBHDS Service Modification to add Substance Abuse (SA) services to license if not currently licensed as SA provider.

ASAM Levels 3.7, 3.5, 3.3, 3.1

Residential Treatment Services (RTS) continued

- Providers to also submit completed ARTS Attestation Form for ASAM Levels 2.1 to 4.0, ARTS Organizational Staff Roster and a copy of the appropriate DBHDS license(s) to Magellan and each of the Medicaid health plans to start the credentialing and contracting process .
- Magellan and the Medicaid health plans will request any additional documents required for credentialing and contracting.

ASAM Levels 3.7, 3.5, 3.3, 3.1

Residential Treatment Services (RTS) continued

- Complete the ARTS Attestation Form for ASAM Levels 2.1 to 4.0, ARTS Organizational Staff Roster and submit these documents along with a copy of the appropriate DBHDS license(s) to DMAS via email and then mail in signed copy. Submit by **January 25, 2017** to secure timely site review by Contractor.
 - Email: SUD@dmass.virginia.gov
 - Mail signed copy:
DMAS / Addiction and Recovery Treatment Services
Attention: Ashley Harrell
600 East Broad Street, Suite 1300
Richmond, Virginia 23219

ASAM Levels 3.7, 3.5, 3.3, 3.1

Residential Treatment Services (RTS) continued

- DMAS will submit documentation to the DMAS Contractor who is performing reviews and site visits to determine if RTS providers meet the attested ASAM Levels of Care.
- DMAS Contractor will contact the RTS provider within two weeks of receipt to schedule a site visit and review based on ASAM Criteria and information submitted to DMAS.
- DMAS Contractor will provide a Site Visit Report with outcome of their ASAM Level of Care Assessment to the RTS provider after site visit.

ASAM Levels 3.7, 3.5, 3.3, 3.1

Residential Treatment Services (RTS) continued

- RTS provider will submit the Site Visit Report verifying that they meet ASAM requirements for the Residential Level of Care to Magellan and each of the Medicaid health plans as part of the credentialing and contracting process
- DMAS received approval of the Demonstration Waiver from CMS which allows Medicaid reimbursement for facilities with greater than 16 beds. Providers expanding bed capacity will need to update their DBHDS licenses once staff requirements are met.

ASAM Levels 3.7, 3.5, 3.3, 3.1

Residential Treatment Services (RTS) continued

- If RTS provider does not meet ASAM criteria for a specific Residential Level, they will have 60 days or until April 30, 2017 (whichever is sooner) to submit updated information to the Contractor demonstrating that they meet this level
- The Contractor will reevaluate the RTS provider based on this updated information and determine if they meet ASAM criteria for the specific level within 60 days or by June 30, 2017 (whichever is sooner)

ASAM Levels 2.5 and 2.1

Partial Hospitalization and Intensive Outpatient

- Obtain or amend DBHDS license if needed.
- Add DBHDS Outpatient Managed Withdrawal Service License only if performing outpatient withdrawal management
- Complete ARTS Attestation Form for ASAM Level 2.1 to 4.0 and ARTS Organizational Staff Roster and submit along with a copy of the appropriate DBHDS license(s) to Magellan and each of the Medicaid health plans to start the credentialing and contracting process if not already in-network.

ASAM Level 1.0 and 0.5

Outpatient and SBIRT

- Must be licensed or credentialed by the Department of Health Professions.
- Contact Magellan and each of the Medicaid health plans to start the credentialing and contracting process if not already in-network.
- Magellan and the Medicaid health plans will request any additional documents required for credentialing and contracting.

ASAM Level Opioid Treatment Services

Opioid Treatment Programs (OTP)

- Must be licensed by DBHDS as OTP
- Complete ARTS OTP Attestation Form and ARTS Organizational Staff Roster and submit Magellan and the Medicaid health plans to start the credentialing and contracting process if not already in-network.
- Magellan and the Medicaid health plans will request any additional documents required for credentialing and contracting.
- **Opioid Treatment Programs that dispense buprenorphine products will need to be credentialed as an OBOT to receive the benefits or no service authorization as well as the OBOT payment model and new payment for substance use care coordination in OBOT setting.**

ASAM Level Opioid Treatment Services

Office Based Opioid Treatment (OBOT)

- Licensed physician must have completed the 8 hour training course approved by SAMHSA and obtained a waiver to prescribe buprenorphine for opioid use disorder from the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA).
- Licensed Nurse Practitioner or Physician's Assistant must have completed the 24 hours of training required by the SAMHSA and obtained a waiver to prescribe buprenorphine for opioid use disorder from the DEA.
 - The Nurse Practitioner must have collaborative practice agreement with a buprenorphine-waivered physician.
 - The Physician Assistant must be supervised by a buprenorphine-waivered physician.

ASAM Level Opioid Treatment Services

Office Based Opioid Treatment (OBOT) cont.

- Licensed behavioral health provider (licensed psychiatrist, licensed clinical psychologist, licensed clinical social worker, licensed professional counselor, licensed psychiatric clinical nurse specialist, licensed psychiatric nurse practitioner, licensed marriage and family therapist, licensed substance abuse treatment practitioner, or Certified Substance Abuse Counselor under supervision of a licensed provider) must be co-located at the same practice site and provide counseling during clinic sessions when the buprenorphine-waivered practitioner is prescribing buprenorphine or naltrexone to patients with opioid use disorder.
- Community Service Boards and Federally-Qualified Health Centers are not required to have the licensed behavioral health provider co-located at the same practice site and providing counseling during clinic sessions when the buprenorphine-waivered practitioner is prescribing buprenorphine or naltrexone to patients with opioid use disorder.
 - The licensed behavioral health provider must be employed by the same organization and providing counseling to patients prescribed buprenorphine or naltrexone.
 - They must engage in interdisciplinary care planning with the buprenorphine-waivered practitioner including working together to develop and monitor individualized and personalized treatment plans that are focused on the best outcomes for the patient.

ASAM Level Opioid Treatment Services

Office Based Opioid Treatment (OBOT) cont.

- Complete ARTS OTP Attestation Form and ARTS Organizational Staff Roster and submit Magellan and the Medicaid health plans to start the credentialing and contracting process if not already in-network.
- Magellan and the Medicaid health plans will request any additional documents required for credentialing and contracting.

OBOT Credentialing Process

Register Clinicians including physicians, NPs, PAs, behavioral health professionals, and administrators for the Virginia Department of Health Addiction Disease Management Trainings

http://www.dmas.virginia.gov/Content_Pgs/arts_training.aspx



Verify that your team of a buprenorphine-waivered practitioner and behavioral health professional meets the requirements of the ARTS OBOT Credentialing Checklist



Providers will need to be recognized by DMAS and credentialed with Magellan and the health plans as an OBOT to bill for the higher reimbursement for opioid counseling and new payment for substance use care coordination.



CSBs who are not licensed as OTP may be recognized as OBOT as long as all OBOT provider requirements are met.



DMAS to post the OBOT Attestation and Application Packet this week with additional guidance.

Peer Support Services

The Peer Recovery Specialist (PRS) must:

- Be employed by or have a contractual relationship with a provider enrolled/credentialed with Medicaid or its contractor;
- Have the qualifications, education, and experience established by the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS);
- Have received certification in good standing by a certifying body recognized by DBHDS; and,
- Have supervision provided by qualified supervisor

Peer Support Services

Submit the following to the MCOs and Magellan of Virginia:

- Mental Health and ARTS Peer Recovery Services Attestation Checklist
- Mental Health and ARTS Peer Recovery Services Staff Roster
- Copy of the Certifications for Peer Recovery Specialist
- Copy of Direct Supervisor's Certification of the DBHDS Supervisory Training (as applicable)

Medallion 3.0, Commonwealth Coordinated Care (CCC) Managed Care Plans and Magellan of Virginia Provider Network Relations Contact Information

■ **Magellan**

- Phone: 800-424-4536
- www.magellanofvirginia.com/for-providers-va/join-the-network.aspx

■ **Aetna Better Health of Virginia**

- Phone: 1-855-652-8249
- Aetnabetterhealth-VAProviderRelations@aetna.com

■ **Anthem HealthKeepers Plus**

- Taylor Rhodes, email: William.Rhodes@anthem.com
- Phone: 804-354-3089

Medallion 3.0, Commonwealth Coordinated Care (CCC) Managed Care Plans and Magellan of Virginia Provider Network Relations Contact Information

■ Humana

- Cary Westley, Network Manager
cary.westley@beaconhealthoptions.com
- Office: 786-837-2958 Fax: 305-273-0668

■ INTotal

- Mary Fountain, Director of Network Management
- Email- Mary.Fountain@inova.org
- Office: 800-231-8076

■ Kaiser Permanente

- http://www.providers.kaiserpermanente.org/html/cpp_mas/forms.html
- Fax Number: 855-414-2621
- Email: Provider.Relations@KP.Org

Medallion 3.0, Commonwealth Coordinated Care (CCC) Managed Care Plans and Magellan of Virginia Provider Network Relations Contact Information

- **Optima Family Care**

- Email: ARTS@sentara.com

- **Virginia Premier**

- John Strube, Manager, Long Term Support Services
- Office: 804-819-5151 ext 56091
- Email: john.strube@vapremier.com
- Visit www.vapremier.com and select “Join our Network” under the Provider tab, complete the recruitment request form and forward to the contracting team.

CCC Plus Managed Care Plans

Provider Network Relations Contact Information

- Aetna Better Health of Virginia
 - Email: Aetnabetterhealth-VAProviderRelations@aetna.com
 - Phone: 855-652-8249
- Anthem HealthKeepers Plus
 - Taylor Rhodes, email: William.Rhodes@anthem.com
 - Phone: 804-354-3089

CCC Plus Managed Care Plans

Provider Network Relations Contact Information

- Magellan Complete Care of Virginia
 - Kenya Onley
 - Email: VAMLTSSProvider@MagellanHealth.com
 - Phone: 1-800-424-4524

- Optima Health Community Care
 - Email: MLTSScontracts@sentara.com

CCC Plus Managed Care Plans

Provider Network Relations Contact Information

- United Healthcare
 - Email : VACCCBH@optum.com
 - Web : www.providerexpress.com and then select:
 - o Quick Links >> Join Our Network

- Virginia Premier Health Plan
 - Contact: John Strube
 - Email: john.strube@vapremier.com
 - Phone: 804-819-5151 ext. 56091

Additional Documentation to Submit to Magellan and the Medicaid Health Plans

- Recent State Site Survey
- Certificate of Insurance (Malpractice and General Liability)
- Current Business License
- State License(s) (DBHDS) and Federal DEA License
- Copy of W-9
- Full Disclosure of Ownership Form (CMS 1513)
- CLIA certification for laboratories

ASAM LOC Placement	ASAM Level of WM	VDH/DBHDS License
4 Medically Managed Intensive Inpatient	4-WM Medically Managed Intensive Inpatient Withdrawal Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acute Care General Hospital (12VAC5-410)
3.7 Medically Monitored Intensive Inpatient Services (Adult) Medically Monitored High-Intensity Inpatient Services (Adolescent)	3.7-WM Medically Monitored Inpatient Withdrawal Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inpatient Psychiatric Unit Acute Freestanding Psychiatric Hospital Substance Abuse (SA) Residential Treatment Service (RTS) for Adults/Children Residential Crisis Stabilization Unit Medical Detox License required for all
3.5 Clinically Managed High-Intensity Residential Services (Adults) / Medium Intensity (Adolescent) 3.3 Clinically Managed Population-Specific High-Intensity Residential Services (Adults)	3.2-WM Clinically Managed Residential Withdrawal Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inpatient Psychiatric Unit (3.5))/Required for co-occurring enhanced programs SA RTS for Adults (3.3 or 3.5) and Children (3.5) SA and MH RTS for Adults and Children (3.3 or 3.5)/Required for co-occurring enhanced programs Supervised RTS for Adults (3.3) Medical Detox License required for 3.2 WM
3.1 Clinically Managed Low-Intensity Residential Services	n/a	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MH & SA Group Home Service for Adults and Children (Required for co-occurring enhanced programs) SA Halfway House for Adults
2.5 Partial Hospitalization Services 2.1 Intensive Outpatient Services	2-WM Ambulatory Withdrawal Management w/ Extended On-site Monitoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SA or SA/Mental Health Partial Hospitalization (2.5) SA Intensive Outpatient for Adults, Children and Adolescents (2.1) Outpatient Managed Withdrawal Service Licensed required for 2WM

ASAM LOC Placement	ASAM Level of WM	VDH/DBHDS License
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ASAM Level of Care	License	Credentialing and Contracting Process
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1 Outpatient Services	All Licensed or Credentialed Providers with Department of Health Professions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Contact Magellan and each of the Medicaid health plans to start the credentialing and contracting process if not already in-network. Magellan and the Medicaid health plans will request any additional documents required for credentialing and contracting..
0.5 Early Intervention		
Opioid Treatment Program (OTP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opioid Treatment Program licensed by DBHDS 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Complete ARTS OTP Attestation Form and ARTS Organizational Staff Roster and submit along with copy of the appropriate DBHDS license(s) to Magellan and each of the Medicaid health plans to start the credentialing and contracting process if not already in-network. Magellan and the Medicaid health plans will request any additional documents required for credentialing and contracting.
Office Based Opioid Treatment (OBOT)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approved by DMAS as OBOT Provider Practitioners licensed by DHP 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Complete and submit the ARTS OBOT Provider Attestation and Application and the DMAS Requirements for OBOT Providers Checklist to DMAS to be reviewed at Fax: 804-452-5450. Contact Magellan and the Medicaid health plans to start the credentialing process and submit any additional required credentialing and/or contracting documents to Magellan and the Medicaid health plans. DMAS will notify Magellan and the Medicaid health plans of approved OBOT providers.

QUESTIONS?
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